

**Application of Wisconsin Energy Corporation for Approval to Acquire
Outstanding Common Stock of Integrys Energy Group, Inc.
Docket 9400-YO-100**

**WEC's Response to
Commission Staff's Sixth Data Request**

Dated October 9, 2014

Response Due Date of October 16, 2014

REQUEST NO. PSCW-6.4:

Provide EGEAS analysis with complete up-to-date data sets that assess the claim made on page 12 of the application that "long-term resource planning based on the combined companies' larger generation portfolio and more extensive geographic footprint may reveal opportunities to economize that are not available to stand-alone companies." Please provide the summary and files for EGEAS which consider the following:

- a. WEPCO system separate with own generation and expansion plan.
- b. WPSC system separate with own generation and expansion plan.
- c. A merged WEPCO and WPSC with combined generation and expansion plan.

RESPONSE:

WEPCO and WPSC do not have access to each other's data to perform EGEAS analysis of a combined generation and expansion plan. However, within the confines of antitrust restrictions, we will meet and work with PSC Staff to discuss the approach to combined generation and expansion modeling and provide the information Staff would need to perform such an analysis.

It should be noted that, as stated at page 12 of the Application,

"No 'dispatch' savings are expected because all generation will continue to be dispatched by MISO. However, longer-term resource planning based on the combined companies' larger generation portfolio and more extensive geographic footprint may reveal opportunities to economize that are not available to the stand-alone companies."

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